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CHRISTMAS CLUB PAYS ITS MEMBERS TOMORROW BIG FUND

Bank of Maysville's Christmas Club
Will Issue Checks to Its Members
Tomorrow—New Policy Is
Announced.

The day set for the distribution of Christmas Club checks each year is always a red letter day in Maysville. It is one of the busiest days the banks experience in the year and the great sum of money being dumped into the hands of so many savers makes business quite brisk for several days.

The first club to pay its members this year is the club of the Bank of Maysville. This is the original Christmas club of the city and has the largest number of members with the largest amount of money on deposit. This year the club will issue as usual the Christmas colored checks which are cashable at the cashier's window or which will be cashed by most every merchant in the city when purchases of Christmas merchandise are made.

The Bank of Maysville Club will change its policy considerably this year doing away with the sliding scale of payment which has been adopted and used in the past. In their circular announcing the new policy the bank says:

"We have overcome all these difficulties this year with our 'All the Year Savings Books.' You can deposit one dollar or more at any time. You do not have to make deposits on days fixed for you but at any time that suits your convenience. You may deposit once a week, once a month or once a year. Or you may only make one deposit and never any more and you can withdraw your money at any time—whenever you want it. We will pay interest at 3 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first days of July and January, on all savings deposits then in bank which have remained on deposit for one month or more. We will compound this interest if it is left on deposit. We will give you a cloth-bound book instead of a card. These books will show all deposits and withdrawals and your balance in bank every time a deposit is made. These books are about 3 1/4 inches wide and 5 1/2 inches long and are much more convenient to carry than a large Christmas card in an envelope."

Books make a most appropriate gift.
Your choice 65c. DE NUZIE

LOCAL MAN HONORED BY BOURBON OIL CO.

Mr. O. L. Bartlett of This City, Chosen as Member of the Board of Directors of Large Oil Concern.

Word was received here Monday announcing the election of Mr. O. L. Bartlett, local automobile dealer, as a member of the Board of Directors of the Bourbon Oil and Development Company of Paris, Ky., to fill a vacancy caused by the death of James Haggard of Paris.

This company is a half-million dollar corporation composed of representative Bourbon county business men and is developing some of the most valuable oil lands in eastern Kentucky, an oil field which experts say will become one of the richest fields in the world.

This company owns leases on over thirty-five thousand acres of land in the heart of the oil pool, are already pumping oil from a number of wells, have one gas well producing 500,000 cubic feet of gas a day, have proven by test wells that they have oil under more than three thousand acres of their leases and are already paying dividends to their stockholders at a rate of 24 per cent. a year notwithstanding the fact that the company is less than two years old.

Mr. Bartlett will become actively associated with the affairs of the company in this section in which there are already quite a large number of stockholders.

U. S. LIBERTY BONDS

Our Fourth Liberty Bonds have arrived and are ready for distribution. If you subscribed through us, please call and get yours.

FIRST-STANDARD BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

PRAYER MEETING RESUMED

The usual mid-week prayer meeting services of the Third Street M. E. Church will be resumed Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The church choir will meet at the close of the prayer services during the winter months.

NOMADS MEET WEDNESDAY

The first meeting of the Nomads after the lifting of the ban will occur Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. Foster Barbour on West Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neal of the West End have received word that their son, B. R. Neal, has arrived safely over seas.

WILL CLOSE CITY SCHOOLS IF "FLU" SHOWS INCREASE

Superintendent Caplinger says City Schools Will Be Closed Voluntarily If It Is Seen Opening Causes Spread.

Prof. W. J. Caplinger today issued the following statement about the re-opening of the city schools after the lifting of the ban by the Health Board:

"We were agreeably surprised at the large attendance of our schools at the opening Monday. When we made inquiry we found that there were 201 children in the city schools that stated that they had had the influenza which was a smaller number than I had expected. I am satisfied within my own mind that the 201 if changed at all, should be made smaller as a number of smaller children might think that they had the influenza and so answer but I do not understand why they would fail to report the information as they had had it unless some few might do that trying to avoid quarantine. I want to state to the parents that we are taking every precaution that we know to safeguard the children under our care and are especially anxious that parents do not send children to school if they have any symptoms of cold that may lead into influenza or if they have a case of it in their home because you will most assuredly be embarrassed by the child being sent home if we find out that these regulations given us by the Board of Health are not strictly observed."

"Owing to such regulations we are not compelling pupils to attend school, the only compulsion being in sending some of the children home. It is our intention of getting careful information each day from the teachers concerning the condition of the children and if we can conclude that the opening of schools has caused any increase in the number of cases we prefer to close the schools even though they may not be forcibly closed by the Board of Health. We especially ask the parents to dress the children warm as we are keeping the temperature of the rooms down below the normal with plenty of fresh air. This is the way it should be at all times but as a general consensus of medical opinion is unanimous in the virtue of a fresh air preventive, we hope to adhere strictly to this regulation."

CIRCUIT COURT FINALLY ADJOURNS UNTIL DEC. 16

Petit Jury Reports and Court Is Adjourned by Judge Newell—Stay of Execution Filed in Harris Murder Case.

Judge C. D. Newell opened the Mason Circuit Court again this morning to receive the members of the petit jury who had been summoned and to transact some little business but after a short time he announced that court would be adjourned until December 16th.

The petit jury is composed of the following gentlemen: James Lally, T. J. Worthington, W. R. Warder, R. W. Alexander, William Maxey, J. C. Rains, Thad Bullock, W. W. Kinser, J. W. Stapleton, George Sedden, A. S. Clark, C. A. Goodman, John Wallingford, John E. Jones, Arthur Chamberlain, Pleckett Boulden, W. D. Frazer, John T. Osborne, George W. Crowell, M. C. Kirk, J. C. Rogers, Fred Kelch and W. H. Boyd.

In the case of John W. Tuel, etc., on petition an order was entered to divide the estate of the late William Tuel consisting of 243 acres of land in the Sardis precinct. Messrs. H. S. Jefferson, W. A. Hitt and A. H. Prather were appointed commissioners to divide same.

The certificate of the clerk of the Court of Appeals in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Lewis Harris, convicted of murder, was filed in court and the judgment of the local court was ordered suspended until the Court of Appeals had acted.

ROBERT H. BECKETT DEAD

Mr. Robert H. Beckett, prominent Mt. Carmel citizen, died at his home yesterday of pneumonia which followed an attack of Spanish influenza. He was 59 years of age and is survived by his wife and four children. Burial will be made in the Mt. Carmel cemetery tomorrow at 11 a. m. funeral being held at the grave.

See our new line of French Ivory. Just received anything you want in Ivory, Ivory Files, Buttoners, Cuticle Pieces, etc. 25c and upwards. Toilet and Manicure Pieces, Puff Boxes, Clocks, Buffers, all in French Ivory. Call and make your selection. We engrave any piece you buy, and enamel same in colors to suit.
MURPHY, Jeweler and Optician.

"AMERICA'S ANSWER" IS WONDERFUL WAR PICTURE

The Washington's Re-opening Number Has the Hearty Endorsement of President Wilson as Being Remarkable Picture.

As a re-opening feature the management of the Washington Opera House has been fortunate enough to secure "America's Answer," the second official government motion picture portraying some of the wonderful advancements our nation has made in preparation for war in a very short time.

The picture has the hearty endorsement of President Wilson and it is expected that there will be a full house at every performance on Thursday. In order that all may see it Manager Russell will give one performance in the morning, two in the afternoon and two at night.

In complimenting the picture President Wilson recently said:

"It was one of the most remarkable and one of the most satisfactory portrayals that we had seen of the great task which America has performed with such enthusiasm and in a fashion which cannot leave the results in doubt."

You have read about the war. You have thought about the war—and talked about it. You have cheered the boys who left your town to serve Uncle Sam.

Now you are going to see the war—as clearly as if you were over there yourself. You are going to understand America's part in the war, as no amount of reading, thinking, talking or cheering can possibly make you understand it!

"America's Answer" takes you right into the heart of the world conflict, and shows you how these American boys, we are so proud of, are helping to wipe out the cruel cancer that is eating into the vitals of mankind.

The war becomes a real issue—the "official reports" in the newspapers are suddenly translated into actions that lift you bodily from your seat and make you cheer yourself hoarse.

You women who have men folks in France will specially welcome this opportunity to see "America's Answer." A Washington woman spoke for all the women of this nation when she said, "If they only would stop long enough for one to scan the faces, I feel sure that I would see my boy."

"America's Answer" is the greatest war picture ever shown on the screen. You can't afford to miss it.

CAMPBELL-MORFORD

Relatives were yesterday apprised of the news of the marriage of Mr. Chas. I. Morford and Mrs. Margaret Campbell at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J. M. Litteral in Covington a week ago today. Mr. Morford is a brother of Mrs. J. H. Richardson of East Second street. He has many relatives and friends in this city all of whom will wish him well in his matrimonial venture.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

The annual inspection of Maysville Commandery No. 10 Knights Templar will take place Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. All Knights urged to attend in uniform. Visiting Knights cordially invited.

C. P. RASP, Commander.

P. G. Smoot, Recorder.

If you want an excellent burning coal—use "Marmet Lump Coal" at our yards on Fourth street. Phone 93. 2-1wk R. A. CARR COAL CO.

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TOBACCO GROWERS IN DARK DISTRICT REBEL AGAINST PRICE

Farmers at Owensboro Not Satisfied With Low Prices Obtained Hold Indignation Meeting.

Owensboro, Ky., December 2—The expected happened at the opening of the tobacco market in Owensboro today. The prices did not satisfy the farmers. The result was that several hundred growers revolted, held a mass meeting and unanimously voted to take their tobacco back home, many of them having driven 30 miles.

The greatest trouble prevailed at the opening sale at the new Daviess County Warehouse. When it was seen that the lower grades, that did not sell under \$10 a hundred pounds last year, were going in some instances as low as \$4, Ben Lott, of Hancock County, mounted a girder in the warehouse and urged the farmers not to allow their tobacco to be sacrificed at such low prices.

At a meeting attended by at least 500 farmers, Henry S. Berry told the farmers they were cowards if they did not stand for higher prices. A number of similar speeches were made.

A motion was adopted that every farmer who had tobacco on the loose leaf floors take it back home. Committees were appointed to meet in every community in the district on Thursday and appoint delegates to a meeting to be held in Owensboro Saturday, when plans for an organization will be discussed.

At the warehouses in the western section of the city better feeling prevailed. At the Owensboro Warehouse 300,190 pounds of dark tobacco sold at an average of \$14.37. There were only five or six rejections by the farmers announced. Last year the average on the opening day was \$16.69. In 1914 it was \$11.82, and in 1915 \$4.63. It was admitted on every hand that a good lot of tobacco was offered today, but tobacco of a like quality brought higher prices last year.

The "flu" epidemic has become so serious in Cincinnati that all schools have been ordered closed by the Health Department.

Mr. Thomas Coughlin purchased the Mrs. Ira E. Newell property in Limestone street at the public sale Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Third Street M. E. Church will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the church.

BUSINESS MEN TO BE TOLD HOW GREAT WAR WAS WON

Prominent Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce Official Will Address Business Men at Noon Tomorrow on Allied Victory.

Plans are now complete for the mass meeting at the Gem Theater tomorrow at noon when Hon. Thomas Quinlin, chairman of the committee on Federal Affairs of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce delivers an address on some of the reasons the Allied cause was victorious in the late world war. Mr. Quinlin is a prominent business man and is said to be a speaker of much ability and a man who has given much of his time and talent to war work.

The meeting is especially for business men and farmers and no women or children will be admitted because of the reduced seating capacity made necessary by the rules of the Health Board that only every other seat can be occupied.

This mass meeting is being held in conjunction with the great Victory conference to be held in Cincinnati within the next few days and all who can find time at noon to attend will be greatly repaid.

COMMITTEE SOON TO ACT ON NAMING STREET

It is expected that the Public Buildings Committee of City Council will act within the next few days on the naming of Lower street. At Monday night's meeting the committee asked for further time but it is more than likely that at the next meeting of Council the street will be re-named probably Kirk avenue.

When in doubt give a magazine subscription. Brings pleasure the year round.
DE NUZIE.

DEMONSTRATION OF UNUSUAL INTEREST FRIDAY EVENING

Two Great Artists From Edison Phonograph Studios Will Give Free Demonstration Friday Evening.

A very peculiar sort of entertainment and one that should attract a very large audience will be that given by Miss Marie Morrissey, contralto and Mr. Jacques Glockner, cellist, at the Christian Church on Friday evening. Both of these artists make records for the Edison phonograph and in order to show the high quality of their record making system the Edison people are sending these artists over the country for such free recitals. The artists will sing and then in the middle of the song stop when the machine will take up the song. The audience will be asked to tell which was the actual voice or music of the artist and which was the machine re-creation.

Because of the esteem in which these two artists are held in the musical world and because of the rare demonstration, it is expected that there will be a large audience at the church.

The demonstration is absolutely free and tickets are being distributed to all who care to attend by J. T. Kackley & Co., local agents for the Edison.

ANOTHER ABERDEEN MAN KILLED IN ACTION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, of Aberdeen, have just received a telegram from the War Department announcing that their son, Private Charles Davis, Jr., had been killed in action in France.

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Poor Bill was looking forward to being the ruler of the world, but his vision was somewhat blurred. He made one mistake after another and at last he will get his just deserts. You may be looking and planning for a happy future, but if your vision is not clear you will make no mistake by consulting WILLIAMS at Drugstore. Prices always moderate.

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OUR POLICY

To support such measures as are unquestionably for the good of Mason County as an entire community, rather than such propositions as are in favor of the individual interest, or of one section as against another. And likewise to earnestly and consistently oppose all things that are not for the good of the County as a whole.

THE ARMISTICE

The armistice now in effect provides that Germany must do certain things within a certain length of time. We have agreed not to fire a shot until the expiration of the time mentioned—and shall not do so. But we shall keep our soldiers in line, our guns loaded, and be prepared at any moment to take care of ourselves if anything happens to lead us to believe that Germany is not faithfully carrying out the terms of the armistice.

The soldiers are standing today exactly where they stood when they ceased firing at 11 o'clock Monday morning. The cannon are in the same positions. The aircraft are "tuned up," ready for a fight. Everything is exactly as it was when the hour arrived to cease firing, and will so remain until the expiration of the armistice.

If, when the time is up, Germany has complied with all of the terms of the armistice, hostilities will be indefinitely suspended. Germany will then be in such shape that she will be harmless; she will be in such position, if she complies with the armistice, that she would be an easy prey. So we shall then agree with Germany upon the date of a peace conference, and proceed to do as we please in the meantime. We can move our troops wherever we want to move them, at the expiration of the armistice, but not before. So when the armistice has expired, we shall likely move our guns and troops to the Rhine, and man the forts Germany has turned over, and otherwise get into position to dominate the enemy completely.

The peace conference will take place some time this winter. There will be no occasion to hasten it, since hostilities will have ceased, and since we will be doing as we please, any way. Representatives from all of the Allied nations will be on hand, and representatives from the Central Empires will also be present. It will be a big task to make the treaty of peace in that it will involve so many questions. But it will finally be made, and it will be signed.

If Germany should refuse to sign the treaty she will be given so many hours to reconsider. At the end of the period named, if she does not agree to it, we shall continue the war upon her—and we would then have her at such disadvantage that it wouldn't be much of a war. But that is not contemplated. It is about as certain as anything can be that Germany will comply with the terms of the armistice, and that she will sign whatever treaty of peace is finally put up to her. To all intents and purposes the war is over; it is unthinkable that Germany will continue the struggle, or that she will allow us to fire upon her because of her failure to comply with our demands. —Columbus Dispatch.

"WE COULDN'T FIGHT, BUT WE CAN SAVE"

The usual festivities accompanying the opening of colleges this fall were changed in character, and all over the United States students have pledged themselves to save sugar—which to college girls means relinquishing many traditions of campus life that center about famous confectioner's shops and fudge parties. But what are traditions in the face of the need for saving sugar for a world on short rations?

Fudge parties have turned into affairs where guests partake of prunes and dates stuffed with nuts. No one ever realized before how good prunes taste for a confection. Fewer trips to "ice cream parlors" not only save sugar and butter fat, but also reduce the number of "incidentals" entered on the account book. "Less sweets and more thrift stamps," holds as a good slogan for college girls this winter.

The habit among young people of eating between meals is decreasing because of the shortage of sugar. Candies, sodas and sweet cookies were the chief kinds of food consumed while studying or playing.

The thousands of girls in schools and colleges of the country can be an effective means not only of saving sugar and other necessary foods themselves, but of spreading the doctrine among other people.

LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIERS

Mrs. Ollie Wells of East Fourth street has just received the following letter from her brother in France: Base Hospital, A. E. F.

Dear Sister: Am getting along fine and feeling good. Sit up for awhile every day. I doubt if I ever see any more battles. I'd like to be there if it is necessary, though.

Have you got my letters? Have not heard from you since July. I would like to have you write me as often as you have time.

The only thing that I am wishing for is some long-green tobacco. Please send me some of that, anyway.

I am inclosing card for you to put on package.

Your dear brother, OWEN.

Mrs. John Holland has just received the following letter from her son "over there":

Somewhere in France.

Mrs. John Holland. Dear Mother: Just a few lines to let you know I received your letter was glad hear from you and to know you was well. This leaves me all o. k. and hope when these few lines comes to hand it will find you the same.

Mother, tell Mrs. Greenlee I will write her in the near future. Mother Reed is in the hospital, he was wounded but I don't think he is serious. I will find out and write and tell his mother just as soon as I hear from him. Mother I will write you more when I get more time. Mother I am well and hope you are the same. Mother you can send me my Christmas box with this coupon. You can read the directions on this coupon. Mother don't tell Mrs. Greenlee about her son being wounded for she will be uneasy about him. Mother I will find out how he is and will let you and Mrs. Greenlee know.

It is cold and rainy here today. Mother don't you be uneasy about me for I am safe and will be back to you some time and what a fine time we will have. Mother tell all my friends hello for me and I would like to see them. So I will close hoping to hear from you soon. Will write more next time. Your loving son, EARL.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of 1215 East Third street are in receipt of the following letter from their son, Private Charles D. Hall over seas:

October 15, 1918.

Dear Mother: I am sure you all will be glad to hear from me it has been so long since I have had a chance to write. I can hardly realize that things have happened as they have, but I guess it is all true.

If you should happen to change your address let me know. Let me know how all are getting along.

Tell everybody that I am feeling fine.

Has Paxton or any of the last boys that registered been called? Tell them they should worry for the Black Devils will finish the Kaiser for we are hot after him.

I was awfully sea sick for a while but am all right now.

Write as soon as you get this for I am anxious to hear from you. Do not worry about me for we do not want for anything. Army life is fine.

Tell father I am anxious to get home.

Such Women Just Have to "Give Up"

"Man may work from sun to sun, but woman's work is never done." That's why women are overworked, nervous, all run down, no appetite, and can "hardly drag around." Vinol creates a hearty appetite, strengthens the digestive organs, induces sound sleep, invigorates the nerves, and in this natural manner creates working strength.

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and tell him how I can fight.

Pray for us all, we will be home soon.

Your son, PRIVATE CHARLES D. HALL.

Co. A, 814th Inf. A. E. F.

SOME SPLENDID ANSWERS

Just to prove to the world what may be expected from a group of prospective automobile drivers, a Denver motorizing authority presented to his class a number of technical questions. The results were nothing if not amazing. Though he does not swear to the truth of his statement, the Denver man's veracity cannot be questioned.

Below are quoted his questions and some of the answers obtained, as given by a writer in the Salt Lake Tribune:

Question—If your brakes failed to work going down hill, what would you do?

Answer—I would jump out and throw a rock under the wheels.

Q—Which side of a car going in the same direction must you pass?

A—Always pass on the safest side.

Q—If your engine stalled on a car track, what would you do?

A—Telephone my husband to come and fix it.

Q—When the car is standing, which side should be next to the curb?

A—The side nearest the sidewalk.

Q—What precautions should be taken in backing your car?

A—Reverse the engine.

Q—What is the accelerator?

A—A thing that has something to do with something inside the car, when you step on it, or something.

Q—When the batteries run out, what must you do?

A—Run after them or get new ones.

Q—Why must you keep grease and oil off the wheels?

A—Because it gets your hands and clothes dirty.

Q—What is the office of the spark plug?

A—The office of the spark plug is the office where it is made or sold.

Q—How far must you stop from a fire hydrant?

A—Far enough not to scratch the varnish.

Q—If your engine stalls going up a hill, what do you do?

A—Try to start it.

Q—What would you do if the steering gear broke?

A—Drive to the nearest garage and have the man fix it.

Q—What is the speed limit in the city? In the country?

A—Not over forty miles an hour in the city. Slower in the country, because the roads are bad.

WOMAN'S DEVOTION TO HOME

Home duties to many women appear more important than health. No matter how ill they feel, they drag themselves through their daily tasks, overdo and pay the penalty in headaches, backache, dragging-down pains and nervousness; they become irritable, and finally discover that some form of female complaint has fastened itself upon them. When a woman gets into this condition there is one tried and true remedy made from the roots and herbs of the field, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for more than forty years has continued its great work among women in restoring health after many other remedies have failed.

New York—E. E. Tupper and Peter Wright of the British Seamen's Union arrived here Monday to ask American seamen to boycott all German ships. They want the Americans to join with the British in refusing to sail into German ports.

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BACKACHE IS A WARNING

Maysville People Should Not Neglect Their Kidneys.

Backache is often nature's most frequent signal of weakened kidneys. To cure the pains and aches, to remove the lameness when it arises from weakened kidneys, you must reach the cause—the kidneys. If you have pain through the small of your back, urinary disorders, headaches, dizzy spells, or are nervous and depressed, start treating the kidneys with a tested kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills have been proved good and are especially for weak kidneys. Doan's have been used in kidney trouble for over 50 years. Read Maysville testimony.

Mrs. E. Sphar, E. Second and Walnut Sts., says: "I have never seen Doan's Kidney Pills fail to help anyone complaining of their kidneys. I have been greatly benefited by them myself. At times my back has ached and I have suffered from lameness through the small of my back. When I have been in that way, I have used a box or so of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured at Chanter's Drug Store. They have always quickly removed the trouble."

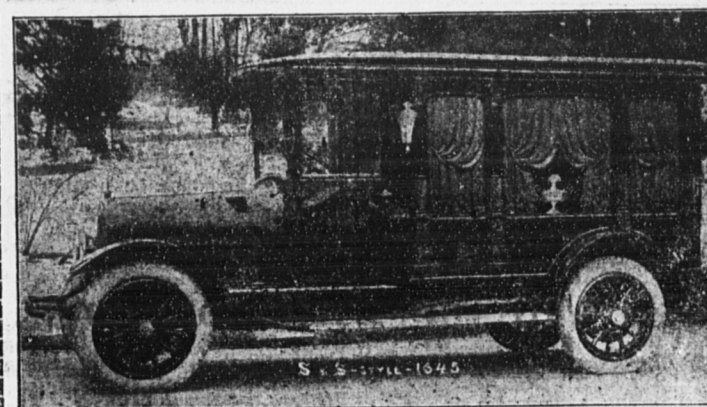
Mrs. Sphar is only one of many Maysville people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mrs. Sphar had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60 cents at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

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ANY OLD EXCUSE TO EVADE THE DRAFT LAW

Sounds Like Some of These Fellows
Resided Close to Home Folks
Here—Some Ludicrous
Appeals.

With the passage of a draft bill widening the range of conscription activities, local authorities were swamped with pleas for exemption made before questionnaires had been sent. Many who had already been exempted from military service or placed in deferred classifications are seeking second exemption will go by the board because of the new draft bill, says the New York World.

Some of the excuses to escape service are ludicrous. Others are pathetic. Most of them are ineffectual, for Draft Director Martin Conboy and his aids usually find that the judgment of the local board was sound.

Captain David Asche, Deputy Director, recounted to a reporter some of his experiences of the week at his office at the Hall of Records.

A man of 28, physically fit, was accepted by Local Board No. 2. His appeal was turned down. Eventually he placed his case before Capt. Asche, who found these claims on the man's questionnaire:

He sought Class 3B because of dependent aged parents. He asked for Class 3H on the ground that he intended to enter a necessary and essential Government service. He wanted to be in 3K because he was a highly specialized expert in an essential industry. He asked for additional classification in 3L on the ground that he was assistant to the associate manager of a necessary industry. Because of a wife and child, he wanted 4A tacked to his name. And he wound up declaring he ought to be in 5H because he was morally unfit to be a soldier. In addition, he said he belonged to a sect of super-Quakers, which sect he himself had founded. As

an after-thought he declared he had flat feet and stomach trouble.

He listed more than twenty occupations, saying he had worked at them for certain stated periods totaling 213 years. Among these jobs were accountant, blacksmith, bookkeeper, machinist, engineer, typewriter, student, clerk, teacher, ship designer, factory hand, foundry man, draughtsman, auto repairer, patternmaker and painter.

The Government decided that he would be a handy man to have around, so he is now at camp giving the army the benefit of his multifarious trainings.

One chap came in Monday and said he was suffering from an ailment that necessitated the use of a truss. The doctor ordered him to strip for examination. When the youth dressed again he forgot to replace the truss and started to walk away without it.

Then he asserted he was an applicant for membership in the Quakers. He said he couldn't get in because there was a long waiting list. Next he declared that his grandmother was dependent on him. Inquiry at his house developed that the janitor had never seen anybody enter his room except a girl of 20, whom the janitor avowed "wasn't his grandma by no long shot." The authorities gave the man a ticket to camp.

Still another, when asked whether he had any dependents, answered: "I got lots of people dependent on me for Christmas presents."

One mother came to Captain Asche and asked for her boy's exemption so that he could join the navy. "I know he'll get a good bed in the navy," she explained.

There came this letter from a native of the Philippines:

"I answered the questionnaire book. Before I be call to the war I certainly gratefully attend at the instruction school. I preferred infantry to learn the theory of tactic to be a good shooter at the front. I am willing to serve this country against German as well as country. Sir: If I go in the other side it seems to me I could kill ten of them German. Men is count some! I

like to learn the theory of tactic like a book. Sir: I thought if I die myself in sickness I would rather die in the war instead. I may kill a few German over there then I can say I help some of my protective country."

One of the cases was that of a man who wanted to get into the fighting and who was a veteran. He was in England when the war started and fought for a time in France. Then he was sent to Italy in charge of an ambulance unit. Returning to France, he joined the Foreign Legion. Recently he returned to America on leave and was forced by his draft board to register. He sought exemption on the ground that he was on his way back to fight. But it required miles of red tape to have his request granted.

A well-known jockey asked deferred classification because of a dependent wife and child, both of whom he brought with him as concrete evidence. But it was learned that the couple had permitted a woman to adopt the youngster, and had taken the child back for the purpose of presenting a claim for deferred classification.

One man who was hauled up for failing to register was found to have been a member of the Lafayette Escadrille, here on furlough because of illness.

MANY FACTORIES ARE INVESTIGATING ABSENCES

Reasons for Workmen Remaining
Away from Work Occasionally
Reveal Conditions that Should
Be Remedied.

Prompt personal investigations are of importance in reducing absences from work, according to investigations made by the Information and Education Service of the Department of Labor. Many factory managers make this plan their chief means of insuring more regular attendance by the workmen, though several other plans have also been tried successfully.

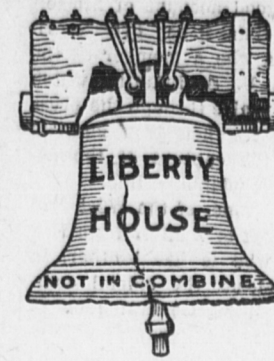
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fact is highly necessary in making home visits to discover why a workmanman is not on hand. Absences are systematically reported by each department, the foremen and department heads are informed of the plan, absentee lists are prepared, and cases which appear to deserve immediate attendance are checked for investigation at once. Others are deferred for three days. Where this plan has been tried it has given satisfaction. In a number of factories nurses are taken by automobile to the homes of employees when such a step is considered necessary. The object is to prevent sickness or harmful conditions that might lead to it.

Personal investigation at times reveals reasons for dissatisfaction that would otherwise never come to light. Telephone or mail inquiries are made by some companies, and in other places workmen report on their return the occasion for their absence. Premiums are offered to employees in some factories if there is neither absence nor tardiness for a week. Usually illness does not bar workmen from such premiums.

Choice line of Ivory for Christmas gifts.
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**OUR WATER
BOX**

Correspondents will please give facts as briefly as possible. When anything of great importance occurs use the Telegram or the Telephone at our expense.

Salem Ridge

Rev. Godby delivered his first sermon at Salem M. E. Church, Sunday morning to an attentive audience.

Mrs. Ben Paul and two sons, Harvey and Roy, of Hilltop, spent Wednesday night with Mrs. M. E. Galbraith.

Mr. A. T. Jones is recovering from a short illness of Spanish "flu."

Mrs. John Owens of Abigail, called on Mrs. Alfred Insko Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. M. E. Galbraith and son, Elmer, and her guests, Mrs. Ben Paul and two sons spent Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. Sarah Woodward of Woodward Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hill and children of Germantown, spent Sunday with Mr. Emmitt Hinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill entertained Rev. Godby Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Henson and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Osborne and little son, Glenn, of Abigail, and Mr. John Henson, of Washington, Sunday.

The Misses Lucille Hill and Gladys Henson spent the week end with relatives in Abigail.

CHRISTMAS RED CROSS ROLL CALL

MacKenzie R. Todd of Frankfort, a man of wide acquaintance and large experience in handling such campaigns, who was selected to manage the Kentucky Division of the Red Cross Christmas Roll Call, and who has offices on the tenth floor of the Columbia Building, Louisville, is already getting the work in shape, determined to secure at least a million members in the State. To assist him in the great work the chapters of the Red Cross are appealed to and a manager has been selected in each of the one hundred and twenty counties, whose duty it will be to organize their localities and see that every one is given the opportunity to become a member of humanity's greatest cause. The plan is to sell memberships at \$1, the amount to go toward the support of the work at home and abroad. Each member will be given a button which will be a badge of honor, a service flag and a dozen Christmas seals, the sale of the seals being discontinued for the season. The week of December 16-23 has been selected for the final drive for universal membership in the organization to which the world owes so much and to which it is not only a duty to belong but the highest privilege. Let it be remembered that the campaign is not for money but memberships and that every person is urged to enroll.

Try a Ledger Want Ad. It Pays. H. C. HAWKINS, Auctioneer.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

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Time table effective Sunday February 10th.

No. 17 leaves Maysville 5:35 a. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 9 leaves Maysville 3:40 p. m. except Sunday.

No. 209 leaves Maysville 4:10 p. m. Sunday only.

No. 10 arrives in Maysville 9:45 a. m., daily except Sunday.

No. 210 arrives in Maysville 2:35 p. a., Sunday only.

No. 16 arrives in Maysville 8:50 p. m., daily except Sunday.

H. S. ELLIS, Agent.

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Eastbound

No. 8 9:48 a. m., daily.

No. 2 12:55 p. m., daily.

No. 16 2:00 p. m., daily, except Sundays.

No. 18 8:25 p. m., daily except Sundays.

No. 4 8:55 p. m., daily.

No. 6 9:45 p. m., Mail and Express only.

Westbound

No. 1 12:20 a. m., Mail and Express only.

No. 5 6:54 a. m., daily.

No. 19 5:25 a. m., daily except Sundays.

No. 17 10:00 a. m. (arrives) daily except Sundays.

No. 3 3:47 p. m., daily.

No. 7 4:50 p. m., daily.

W. W. WIKOFF, Agent.

Be Patient

When you have an unpleasant experience with the telephone service, do you ever stop to think how many times you use the telephone without that experience?

To those most familiar with the problems of telephone operation the wonder is NOT that the service fails to satisfy every individual every day, but that it serves so many individuals SO WELL every day.

In this city we answer an average of 10,000 calls each day.

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Recent demand
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of attractive taste and
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The spirit of Christmas, or giving to fellow men, is the spirit of civilization, and must not be sacrificed on the altar of war.

But it should be adjusted to war times, to the giving of things that fill a need and that perform a useful service.

As Headquarters for KUPPENHEIMER CLOTHES and other articles of wearing apparel for men and young men, the most useful of gifts, we shall be glad to help solve your men's gift problems on the basis of giving merchandise of highest quality at prices that deliver the utmost in value.

Geo. H. Frank & Co.
Maysville's Foremost Clothiers

SHORTAGE OF TEACHERS IN KENTUCKY IS ALARMING

Agent of Eastern Normal School Here To Secure Co-operation of School People in Interesting Youth in Profession.

Prof. I. H. Boothe of Richmond, Ky., representing the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School was in our midst today. His mission is to secure the cooperation of all school people and all other parties interested in Education to check the tendency toward the alarming and increasingly critical situation of a shortage of teachers. There are hundreds of children in Kentucky who shall suffer this year for lack of instruction. Unless something is done the future presents even a darker picture.

Prof. T. J. Coates, President of the school, has evolved a plan which seems feasible, practicable and based upon reason and common sense. It is this: He says to the County and City Superintendents, "You know how many new teachers you need annually. Next year you will perhaps need more than heretofore. Now, you can not expect to get flour from a mill unless you first send the grain, neither can you expect to receive teachers from a Teachers' Training School until you have first sent a sufficient amount of proper material to the same. Therefore, send us the material and we shall send you back the teachers. You are the guardian of children in your county and city. Therefore the responsibility is on you. What are you going to do about it? We believe that you will measure up to the imperative demands of the hour."

This seems to be reasonable and the people of Kentucky will wait patiently to see large results.

HALT!

Stop long enough to take out some shares in the 49th Series of the Peoples Building Association. That house of yours needs repair or you want to save your quarters at a good rate of interest. See J. E. Threlkeld, Secretary; A. G. Sulser, Treasurer, or any of the directors.

30-1wk

AGED NEGRO BURIED TOMORROW
The funeral of James Mozee, aged and highly respected colored man of Aberdeen, will be held from the Aberdeen M. E. Church tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

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Line of Columbia Machines, and full line of Records. Truthful statements and liberal terms guaranteed.
CLOONEY, Jeweler, Columbia Dealer.

25 barrels of fancy new crop of New Orleans Molasses due to arrive this week. Our price \$1.25 a gallon.
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Morning Show 10:15; Afternoon 2:30
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Admission 25c, No War Tax

MAYSVILLE SOLDIER IN REGIMENT WHICH IS COMMEDED

Private H. L. Young, Member of 106th Infantry Which is Highly Commended For Part Taken in Capture of Hindenburg Line Defenses.

Another Maysville man in France has given a good account of himself there. This time it is Private H. L. Young who was a member of the famous 106th U. S. Infantry which won so much praise through the press some time ago for their great heroism displayed in the capture of the defenses of the Hindenburg line.

Mrs. W. L. Lyons, of the West End is just in receipt of a letter from Private Young, who is her brother, in which he encloses the official commendation of Major General John F. O'Ryan, commanding general of the attack which is addressed to the commanding officer of the 106th Infantry.

The commendation reads as follows:

October 22nd, 1918.

From Commanding General.
To Commanding Officer, 106th U. S. Infantry.

Subject: Commendation.

1. Now that we have inspected the captured defenses of the Hindenburg Line, the magnitude of the task assigned to the 106th Infantry in the attack of September 27th becomes even more apparent than it then appeared. On that occasion the 106th Infantry on a front of 4000 yards attacked the outer defense system composed of highly organized trenches with a maze of wire protection, based the three strong points of Quemont Farm, Guillemont Farm and the Knoll, the whole defended by a vast number of machine guns and trench mortars, supported by artillery.

2. Any impression made by attack upon these defenses would have been worthy of remark. That the 106th Infantry, after most of the tanks had been put out of action, broke through them and secured footings in the three strong points, thus disorganizing the enemy's defense, now seems an extraordinary feat. The valor of the officers and men of the regiment is well indicated by the location of the bodies of their gallant comrades who fell in the battle and by the large number of enemy dead about them.

3. It was undoubtedly the fierce attack of the 106th Infantry which shook the enemy's morale and made possible the subsequent attack of the remainder of the Division.

JOHN F. O'RYAN,
Major General.

ALL SET FOR BIG BANQUET TONIGHT

Everything is in readiness for the big banquet and annual Chamber of Commerce meeting at the St. Charles Hotel this evening. The banquet will be served at six o'clock and the ticket committee reports that they have met with much success in the sale of tickets. Interesting addresses will be made and the new officers who will serve the organization for the ensuing year will be selected.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETS

There will be a joint meeting of the Official Board, the Sunday School Board and Epworth League Cabinet at the Third Street M. E. Church Wednesday at 7 p. m. This joint meeting is for the purpose of laying plans to overcome the weeks lost on account of the epidemic, also to make out the Christmas and Watch-Night programs.

For something new in toys, see our complete stock. **DE NUZIE.**

MONUMENT IN HONOR OF LOCAL ARMY MEN PLANNED BY COUNCIL

Very Interesting Session of Councilmen Monday Night—City Officers All Re-elected Without Opposition.

City Council met in regular monthly session last night with Mayor T. M. Russell presiding and all members present except Mr. Watkins.

The Claims and Accounts Committee's report is as follows:

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| Alms and Almshouse | \$329.50 |
| Public Library | 25.00 |
| Mission Home | 25.00 |
| Mason County Health League | 25.00 |
| Colored Mission | 12.50 |
| Gas and Electricity | 750.03 |
| Chamber of Commerce | 25.00 |
| Boarding and Guarding Prisoners | 83.60 |
| Miscellaneous | 231.79 |
| Salaries | 289.11 |
| Police | 526.11 |
| Fire Department | 597.80 |
| Internal Improvement | 518.35 |
| Public Buildings | 4.00 |
| Refund Erroneous assessment | 137.51 |
| Council Salaries | 222.00 |
| Total | \$3,802.30 |

The report of the Chief of Police shows \$14 in fines and costs paid and \$56 in fines and costs working out.

During the month of November the Fire Chief reports that his department answered two alarms of fire.

The Treasurer's report shows a balance of \$10,174.67 in the general fund. City Treasurer January reports that up to November 1, 1918, \$67,079.69 in city taxes had been collected and that up to that date \$4,953.46 in taxes remained unpaid.

A check for \$6,450 from R. B. Owens to apply on the shortage of George Wood Owens former City Clerk, was presented together with communication from City Treasurer.

Several belated bills were presented by Dr. Dodson and after considerable discussion on the bill of the expert auditors which contained one item of \$11 for pulman fare, all of the bills were allowed after \$11 was deducted from the auditors' bill.

Several alleged erroneous assessments were presented and referred to the Proposition and Grievance Committee.

A communication from the C. & O. railroad company asking that the city permit them to reduce the hours of work of crossing watchmen was read and as council thought such a change would relieve the railroad company of liability should an accident occur at the crossing after hours and the matter was left on the table.

On motion of Member Dodson the Mayor will purchase a cancelling machine to perforate "Paid" and in the future all old bonds and coupons will be saved.

On motion of Mr. Owens Mayor Russell appointed a special committee to investigate and provide a way of raising funds with which to erect a suitable monument in honor of the Maysville and Mason county soldier men in the late war. Mayor Russell appointed Messrs. Owens, Arn and Reed on the committee.

Mr. Reed read an ordinance amending the Prison Guard ordinance. The ordinance was received and amended that the officer shall report every morning to the Street Commissioner for instructions for work. The rules were then suspended and the ordinance was adopted as amended and twice read.

Another ordinance increasing the salary of Alms House physician to \$240 was read, received. The rules were then suspended and the ordinance was adopted on its second reading.

An ordinance taking care of the garbage problem in the city was offered by the Laws and Ordinance Committee. The ordinance was received. The rules were suspended and the bill was adopted on its final passage.

Another ordinance fixing a license tax of \$25 per year for the collection of garbage in the city was read, offered, received and the rules being suspended it was finally adopted.

On motion the election of officers was entered into and the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year, none of them having opposition:

Patrolmen—P. Ryan, Martin Drennan, William Tolle and D. P. Bloomhuff.

Police Sergeant—James Mackey.
Alms House Physician—Dr. J. H. Samuel.

Alms House Matron—Mrs. Daisy Roper.

Wharfmaster—Captain C. M. Phister.

City Weigher—A. C. Carr.

The Alms Committee and the Mayor were given power to act in paying the city's part of the bills of the Emergency Hospital and settle up the affairs of the institution.

There being nothing further for consideration Council was adjourned.

Mrs. E. H. Mass and little son, Edward, Jr., spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ed Hull of Portsmouth, Ohio.

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CONTROL OF MEAT BY GOVERNMENT SEEN IN CHARGES

Trade Boards Report Expected to Force Action By U. S. Government.

Washington, December 3—Congressional action to control the meat packers promised today to result from the Federal Commission's charges of illegal combination and price regulation in the trade.

A conference of senators, including Kenyon of Iowa and Borah of Idaho, will be held soon to outline some course of action to correct evils the Trade Commission's two reports declare exist.

The problem facing those who want action is how to retain the undoubted utility of the meat industry machinery without giving the firms mentioned by the Trade Commission power absolutely to control meat, supplies and processes.

The flat charge that the packers—Armour, Swift, Morris, Cudahy and Wilson—now exercise this power thru a gigantic and close combination, is made by the commission in a report submitted to Congress yesterday.

The Trade Commission's conclusions, as drawn from several hundred pages of evidence, are in the main:

"That the five companies have divided up the country for their operations in such a way as to allow them to absolutely control both buying and selling prices.

"That the companies exchange confidential information.

"That the companies act collusively in buying live stock and selling fresh meats.

"That Swift, Armour, Wilson and Morris have combined to control the South American cattle market.

"That all contribute to a joint fund to swing public opinion.

"Same old threadbare charges," said J. Ogden Armour, according to a despatch today from Chicago.

"I can only repeat that the charges are baseless. What I say can be demonstrated readily by any unbiased and impartial investigation."

PROMINENT RIPLEY PHYSICIAN DIES

It was learned here this afternoon that Dr. J. A. Stein, prominent Ripley physician, died at his home this morning after a short illness.

Bracelet, Watches, Cameo Pins, Cameo Rings, Scarf Pins, Cuff Buttons, Charms, Lavalliers, Baby Locketts and Chains, Bracelets of all kinds. Call and have your Xmas presents reserved at **P. J. MURPHY'S, Jeweler and Optician.**

LEWIS W. ANDERSON DIES AT WHEELING, W. VA.

Word was received here this afternoon of the death at his home in Wheeling, W. Va., this morning of Mr. Lewis W. Anderson.

Mr. Anderson was a native of this county and had many relatives in the West end of the county. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. T. McMillen, of Dover, and one brother, Col. Thomas P. Anderson, of Point Au View farm.

The remains will be taken to Dover Thursday for burial.

CHURCHES RESUME REGULAR SERVICES

By the lifting of the "flu" ban the churches of the city are again permitted to resume their regular services and prayer meeting will be held this week on the usual evenings and at the usual times. All other services have also been resumed.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss Mary Morris of Covington to Mr. Carlos Vaughn was announced to take place December 20th. Miss Morris is the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. S. Morris. Many relatives and friends in this city join in extending congratulations in advance of the happy event.

DAUGHTER OF FORMER MAYSVILLE MAN DIES IN CINCINNATI

The two year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Groninger formerly of this city, died at the home of the parents in Cincinnati yesterday of Spanish influenza.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Third Street M. E. Church will meet at the church this evening at 7 o'clock. Every member who can possibly do so is urged to attend.

To those who have accounts and whose accounts are desirable. We will make payments due February 1, instead of January 1. **P. J. MURPHY, Jeweler and Optician.**

Catarrah Cannot Be Cured
IN LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they first reach the eye, of the disease, catarrah is a local disease, greatly increased by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take a internal remedy. Hall's Catarrah Medicine is for a internal and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrah Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrah Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Send for testimonials, free.
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Our Fourth Liberty Bonds have arrived and are ready for distribution. If you subscribed through us, please come in and get your bonds. We make no charge for keeping them for you, if you wish to leave them with us, but we would prefer to give you a receipt or the bond.

Come in at your earliest convenience, and remember that we are prepared and willing to serve you in every way that a bank can.

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HOLIDAY Suggestions!

BUY HER—A Silk Dress or Skirt, special bargains in exclusive patterns, Silk House of many shades and colors.
BUY HIM—Silk Socks, beautiful line, special bargains at 59c pair.
BUY THEM—Hosiery, Ties, Ribbons, largest stock in town.
This is to be the most sensible Christmas ever, only Gifts of use and value should be given.
Largest stock of Handkerchiefs in the city, 5c to \$1. We have linen Handkerchiefs that are very scarce at 25c, 35c, 39c up.
Beads, Windsor Ties, Neck wear, Jewelry, Towels, Equisite Ribbons for Fancy Work, Purses, Purse Ties and Rugs, Blankets, Comforts, Rugs, Etc., attractive in styles, color and price.

Robert L. Hæflich

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THIS WEEK

New Buckwheat, Self Rising and Old-fashion.
Mince Meat.
Cranberries.
Celery.
Apples.
Oranges.
Fancy Grape Fruit.
Oysters and Poultry.

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Buy TRAXEL'S Victory Bread

Fresh Every Day, 10c, 15c

Salt Rising Bread

Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays

10c Loaf.

Beaten Biscuits

Fresh Every Day,

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WANTED

Large knitting mill desires woman to work in own town. Easy business. Permanent. Salary or commission, all or part time. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa. 2-1w-6t

WANTED—Employment apply to Margaret Vaughn, care Nancy Hise, Sixth street. 2-3t

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two good houses on Forest avenue; rent reasonable. Apply to Thos. L. Ewan & Co. 9-t

LOST

LOST—Pin; onyx center; twisted gold. Reward if returned to this office. 27-3t

FARMS FOR SALE!

66 acres, located at Murphysville, on good pike, in Washington school district, 6-room house, good stable and other outbuildings, 50 acres of this farm is in blue grass. Price \$4,000.

60 acres, located 12 miles from Maysville on good pike, near school and church, has one 4-room house, one 3-room house, large tobacco barn and good outbuildings, nice store building with good general cash store business. Price \$6,000.

8 acres, located at Burtonville, all in blue grass, 8-room new house that would cost \$4,000 to build today, 40x60 store building, good stable and other outbuildings. Price \$2500 or will trade for city property.

4 acres, located within 2 miles from Maysville on good pike, 4-room house, stable and good outbuildings, nice place for chicken farm. Price \$800 for quick sale.

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